

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Itaru KAWAKAMI

SERIAL NO: 08/978,490

GAU: 2153

FILED: November 25, 1997

EXAMINER: STRANGE, AARON N.

FOR: RECORDING MEDIUM, TRANSMISSION MEDIUM, INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS/INFORMATION PROCESSING METHOD, INFORMATION PROVIDING APPARATUS AND INFORMATION PROCESSING SYSTEM

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

It is hereby requested that a **one** month extension of time be granted to May 7, 2008 for

- filing a response to the Official Action dated:
- responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
- filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.
- responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
- filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due has been filed.
- filing a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). A timely response to the Final rejection was filed April 3, 2008.
- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.

The required fee of \$120.00 is being made by credit card payment and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030.

Respectfully Submitted,

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